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Iversen, et al.

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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

- Transmitted herewith are the following:
 - An Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111
 - A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time
 - Associate Power of Attorney
 - Sequence Listing printout, floppy diskette, matching declaration
 - Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, References
 - Check in the amount of \$55.00
- 2. Entity Status
 - Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27) has been established by a previously submitted Small Entity Statement.
- 3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if necessary for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.

4. Provisional Fee Authorization

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted, Perkins Coie LLP

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